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Attached is a report containing information on the following: 50X1-HUM

1. "Zitnjak" Steam Boiler Plant, Zagreb;
2. Electro-Montera Workers' Cooperative, Zagreb;
3. Textile factory at Bijelo polje near Mostar; and
4. Coal mines in the Mostar area.

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c) Workers' cooperatives

Sep 52 - ZADRUGA ELEKTRO MONTERA ZAGREB

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(Cooperative for the Assembly of
Electric Installations)

General Remarks

This cooperative is composed
of electricians who assemble
electric apparatus and installations.
The cooperative has a modest
shop for repairing and over-
hauling electric motors.

Until July 1952, the cooperative
comprised also 14 workers who
installed elevators and two who
installed refrigerators. At that
time, these workers left the
cooperative to work independently.

Management and Shop

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The cooperative's main offices and repair shop are located at no 64, Vlasaka Ulica, on the premises formerly occupied by the electric repair shop owned by one Josip MERVAR which was nationalized. The former owner is president of the cooperative.

President: Josip MERVAR, former owner of the repair shop

Director: Jerko VIOLIC

Office workers: 5

Blue-collar workers: 20-22 electricians.

Type of work performed

The cooperative installs and repairs electrical systems and

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apparatus for homes, hotels, hospitals, etc.

The largest current job of the cooperative is the overhauling, repairing, and modernization of the electrical system of the Zagreb military hospital, located in the SALATA city district, where three elevators, inter alia, have been installed. Moreover, the cooperative, previously installed 4-5 elevators at the PLIVA drug manufacturing plant in the CRNOMERAC city district.

In 1950, the cooperative did some work on the Island of

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The repair shop has repaired and overhauled electric motors for the NINOVSKA (SLAVONSKI BROD) furnace [sic] and the ZITNJAK (zagreb) steam boiler plant. The repairing of electric motors for this latter plant constitutes the bulk of the work of the cooperative's repair shop.

During the summer of 1952, work orders given to the cooperative were few; the work is diminishing to the point of threatening the very existence of the cooperative.

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MOTIVE POWER

May 51 New Hydroelectric plant built into the mountain, at the base of hill 488.

Work begun in 1949.

At the date indicated in the margin, the concrete reinforcing of the premises of the power plant was *being done away*.

[redacted] it will be operated by 2 turbines.

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Draining of the marsh area of MOSTAR

May 51 Work on the draining of the marsh area is being carried on.

MOSTAR
 MOSTARKO BLATO
 Zone
 PI - AV

Canalization work has already been done to carry the water off from the marsh area into the NERETVA River.

[redacted] a cotton plantation will arise in the reclaimed area.

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C) ECONOMIC INFORMATION

I) INDUSTRIES

May 51 About 7 Km after MOSTAR on the road leading to ZELJUSA

NEVESINJE
 BIJELO-POLJE
 Zone
 QM-3
 BD-29

(NEVESINJE -QM-BF) in the area called BIJELO POLJE, a textile factory is under construction.

Work on this factory was begun in 1949.

About 200 workers are employed here and about 300 soldiers from units at MOSTAR.

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2) MINES

May 51 Coal mine (lignite) located as indicated by the coordinates in the margin.

MOSTAR
 PN-25
 AX-29

A rr siding comes up to the site (narrow gauge) which joins the only rr line from the city.

There is no information on the production and workers.

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